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For: 4-Port Wavelength Selective Router

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Honorable Commissioner For Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated September 17, 2001, enclosed herewith are:

- 1. Copy of Notice to File Corrected Application Papers; and
- 2. Twenty Four (24) claims on separate sheets

Please amend the application, as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please replace the original claims beginning in line 4 on page 31 of the specification, and ending in line 9 on page 47, with the claims presented on the separate sheets, attached hereto.

The claims presented on the separate sheets are identical to the original claims.

Respectfully submitted, BACON & THOMAS, PLLC

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Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

• The Claim(s) commencing on a separate sheet (37 CFR 1.75(h)).

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